

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please DELETE line 1 on page 1, stating "SPECIFICATION".

Please insert the following section heading at page 1, after the title and at line 4:

-- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --

Please replace the section heading on page 1, at line 5, with the following replacement section heading:

~~TECHNICAL FIELD~~-- Field of the Invention --

Please replace the section heading on page 1, at line 12, with the following replacement section heading:

~~BACKGROUND ART~~-- Description of Related Art --

Please replace the section heading on page 3, at line 12, with the following replacement section heading:

-- ~~DISCLOSURE SUMMARY~~ OF THE INVENTION --

Please replace the paragraph on page 11, beginning at line 22, with the following replacement paragraphs:

Fig. 1 is an exploded perspective view of a stopper for whiskey;

Fig. 2 is a view, partly in section, of the stopper for whiskey;

Fig. 3 is an enlarged sectional view of a principal portion of the stopper for whiskey;

Fig. 4 is a perspective view, partly cut away, showing a process of manufacturing the stopper for whiskey;

Fig. 5 is a sectional view showing the process of manufacturing the stopper for whiskey;

Fig. 6 is a view, partly in section, of a stopper for wine; and

Fig. 7 is a view, partly in section, of the stopper for wine. --

Please replace the section heading on page 12, at line 1, with the following replacement section heading:

-- ~~BEST MODE FOR CARRYING OUT~~ DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION --

Please DELETE the heading on page 16, at line 1.

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Please DELETE the section heading on page 17, at line 5.